

Art and Design Curriculum Overview



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ar 7	Topic: Natural Forms	Topic: Natural Forms	Topic: Natural forms	Topic: Natural Forms	Topic: Natural Forms	Topic: Natural Forms	
	ME AND MY	ME AND MY	BOTANICAL	BOTANICAL	THE SEASHORE	THE SEASHORE	
	COMMUNITY	COMMUNITY	Observational drawings	Artist research and	Observational and	Using Cornish art	
	Using collected images of	Images, photographs and drawings combined with	and colour studies in a range of media	techniques to influence own work.	developmental studies	heritage research to	
	themselves, family, school and the locality	artists research to inspire		own work.	in a range of media/ Photographic research.	influence ideas and techniques in 2D +3D.	
	area to inspire pride and	a personal art work	Focus		Photographic research.	techniques in 2D +3D.	
	Sense of Community	Focus	Exploring drawing techniques through line,	Focus	Focus	Focus	
	Focus A series of drawings from	Research local Cornish history for influence and inspiration	shape, form, tone, texture and colour	Research Arts and Craft movement William	Develop drawing and colour techniques to interpret the visual	Research Cornish Art Heritage to influence ideas for 2D and 3D	
	images and research in	ilispiration	Exploring paint	Morris designs.	world of the seashore.	work	
	the locality. Line, shape, Form,	Show understanding of	techniques, colour	Show understanding of designers' styles and	Research marine life and	Facus on interpreting	
	texture.	composition, Content, subjects, objects,	theory, mixing and blending.	techniques and working	conservation	Focus on interpreting style, content, process,	
		expressions meanings, etc	blending.	methods		line, shape, form, mood	
	Outcomes Independent research	are important	Outcomes		Outcomes	and texture.	
	skills to inspire personal	Outcomes	Series of observation, studies in pencil, pen,	Outcomes	Series of seashore	Outcomes	
	interpretation of theme.	Outcomes Cornish Art history	crayon, chalk etc.		studies such as shells,	Research on Barbara	
	Studies of buildings,	research study.		Research Arts and Craft movement William	feathers, stones, water,	Hepworth and Ben Nicholson and Cornish	
	structures, coastline etc.	A2 1-11 /111	Colour wheel research, applications of colour	Morris and Georgia	seaweed etc. in a range of media.	artists.	
		A3 painting/mixed media composition to portray the	theory - primary,	O'Keefe			
		idea of community. Using	secondary, tertiary	Design panel /tile	Printing composition using subtle, realistic	Creating a 3D pinch pot with artist inspired	
		methods and techniques	colours, shades/tones.	incorporating flowers, leaves and plant forms	shapes, forms and colours. Mixed media	decoration	
		explored this year.	Application of colour				
D		Evaluation	theory/nature studies.		and found objects as collage print		
	Duration: 3 lessons	Duration: 3 lessons	Duration: 3 lessons	Duration: 4 lessons	Duration: 3 lessons	Duration: 3 lessons	





Year 8	Topic	Topic:	Topic:	Topic:	Topic:	Topic:
	My Favourite Activity	My Favourite Activity	Pop Art Design and	Pop Art Can	Portraiture	Portraiture
			packaging	Sculptures	Realism and Self	Expressive portraits
	Focus: To understand figure drawing and proportion. To understand the parameters and evolution of Futurism Outcome: Using independent research 3 types of tone Observational studies. Mixing colours Awareness of composition and proportion.	Focus: To understand the parameters & evolution of Futurism To develop a meaningful response through the use of materials and techniques. Outcome: To develop a final Futurist oil pastel study exploring artist influence and favourite activity Review modify work & create a final evaluation	Focus: Develop Higher level drawing skills, observations of 3D everyday containers and packaging. Exploring form, shape, line, colour, lettering. Identifying logos, design ideas and graphics as art. Develop precise design graphic techniques (logos, brands etc) Outcomes Series of accurate 3D observations of box,	Focus Referencing Pop Art movement. Explore print 3D Sculpture design and Making Outcomes Research Andy Warhol, Claus Oldenburg and Pop Art. 3D sculpture piece	Image Focus To understand basic figure and face To understand how mood, expression, emotions can alter proportions and change meaning. Using self as image Outcomes Series of observational sketches of figure and faces. Interpretation of self-photographic images,	Focus Research into figure and a portrait artist Grayson Perry Experiment with a range of materials to create a realistic, mixed media portrait. Exploring expressive figure through mixed materials. Outcomes Stylised expressive portrait pieces inspired by Grayson Perry
	Evaluation/peer- assessment		cylinder, packets, etc in a range of colour media. Pop Can Design	Duration: 3 lessons	realistic approach. Review/Evaluate Work	Duration: 3 lessons
	Duration: 3 lessons	Duration: 4 lessons	Duration: 3 lessons		Duration: 3 lessons	





Year 9	Topic: The Everyday	Topic: The Everyday	Topic: The Everyday	Topic: The Everyday	Topic: The Everyday	Topic: The Everyday
	Fabulous Food	Fabulous Food	Inspirational Icons	Inspirational Icons	Everyday Objects	My Surroundings
						Focus:
	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	To record views of
	To explore the theme of Fabulous Food by recording ideas from observation.	To explore the work of chosen food artists' using a range of materials. To refine ideas through	theme (music/sport/arts/fami	Investigate mixed media techniques to inform ideas and working methods. To produce an individual, personal outcome inspired by inspirational Icon and chosen mixed media	To develop observational studies based on everyday objects.	your surroundings through drawings/photography
	To develop ideas through investigations informed by food artists. Outcome: To create a cupcake drawing in pencil. To explore the work of an artist whose work is inspired by Fabulous	the use of printing methods and techniques	inspiring person to focus on. Investigate mixed media artists to inform ideas and working methods.		Investigations informed by the techniques of selected traditional and contemporary artists.	Portraying your surroundings through photography/Montage collage/mixed media expressive drawing
		Outcome:	methods.	artist.	Outcome	techniques.
		Oil pastel artist inspired study	theme of 'Everyday	Outcome:	Outcome: Produce a series of observational drawings of everyday objects using a range of materials and techniques. Explore the work of David Hockney to inspire	Outcome:
		To create a series of printed food inspired prints.		A3 mixed media portrait		Creating Landscape and Interior scenes of your everyday
	To explore a range of mark making techniques.	To Evaluate work		To Evaluate work. Duration 6 lessons		surroundings Evaluate Work
	To explore the work of chosen artists' using a range of materials.				montage work based on the Everyday	
	Duration: 6 lessons	Duration: 7 lessons			Duration: 6 lessons	Duration: 6 lessons



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10	Colour in Nature	Colour in Nature	Patterns in Nature	Patterns in Nature	Marine Life	Final Piece
	Focus	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:
	Ways of Recording/Mark Making To explore and research the topic of Natural Forms To record ideas based on the theme of Natural Forms working from observation. Outcome: Explore the full range of tones to create detailed pencil/pen drawing paying particular attention to line, tone, pattern, shape, form, and texture. Explore colour blending with pencil crayon to recreate accurate colours, patterns and textures. Photography of Natural forms inspired by artists Duration: 12 lessons	To develop ideas through investigations informed by artists using photo editing techniques To refine ideas through the use of materials and techniques using oil pastel reduction print methods. Outcome: Exploration of colour editing effects. Development of computergenerated images using oil pastel exploring blending techniques. Explore scale and composition by cropping and enlarging. Develop a series of multicoloured prints using the reduction printing method Duration: 14 lessons	To develop ideas through investigations informed by exploring the work of the artist Peter Randall Page To refine ideas through a range of experimental materials and techniques. Outcome: Research and produce a series of studies based on images from nature and inspired by the work and techniques of the artist Peter Randall-Page. Experimentation using Biro, Ink tinting, monoprinting, ink blot printing, large scale charcoal studies, press printing, resist, string printing, painting. Duration: 12 lessons	To develop ideas through investigations informed by Mixed Media/Print/Textile artists. To refine ideas through the use of materials and techniques experimenting with press/mono/leaf printing techniques. Outcome: To explore colour combinations/colour theory through editing. To develop a series of prints using leaves/Natural Forms Sculpture project To create a sculpture piece using recycled materials. Duration: 12 lessons	To develop ideas through investigations informed by Marine life artist/designers To refine ides through use of drawing/monoprint techniques and sculpture Stencil/Paper Art Outcome: To Explore the work of Marine life/ stencil artists to inform work. Explore ice sculpture/3D form/ Stencil work method to develop a series of prints. Duration: 12 lessons	To develop a personal response to the theme of Natural forms, Outcome: To research and present an inspirational board. To produce a series of colourful development studies inspired by the chosen individual artists. Produce a final outcome in 2/3D using selected artists and media. Duration: 12 lessons





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11	My Surroundings	My Surroundings	Externally set Exam	Externally set Exam	Final submission for	
			Unit	Unit	Component 1	
	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	Focus:	coursework	
	AO1 Creative research board	A02 Explore and	Externally Set Assignment	Completion of a final piece	Focus:	
	To record from observation	experiment with ideas,	Preparation begins	of work under exam conditions. Timescale 10	To complete and present Component one	
	using photography.	materials, tools and techniques and processes	Outcome:	hours	Coursework unit	
	A02 To refine ideas through the use of materials and techniques	A03 Record and make informed choices about	A01 To develop ideas through investigations.	Outcome: A02 To refine ideas	Outcome:	
	A03 To record using a range	media, techniques and	A02 To refine ideas through the use of	through the use of		
	of materials /techniques	processes.	materials and techniques	materials and techniques A03 To record ideas,	Individualised Student Presentation of all work for	
	from observation exploring a range of mark making	Outcome:	A03 To record ideas, observations and insights	observations and insights through drawing,	Coursework submission.	
	techniques.	To use specialist materials, equipment and techniques	through drawing, annotation and any other appropriate means.	annotation and any other appropriate means.	Concluding and realising intentions of the portfolio of work for Coursework.	
	Outcome: To research &	using a wide range of media confidently &				
	record visual and other	creatively to produce		A04To present a personal	D	
	information from primary &	expressive work exploring,		and meaningful final piece	Duration: 12 lessons	
	secondary sources –	print, paint, collage, pastel,		that realises intentions and		l
	expanding pupil's knowledge	stitch, montage.		demonstrates		l
	& understanding of their Surroundings	Development of ideas for final piece. Sketch out 3 x	B	understanding of visual language.		
	Observational work and printing.	A5 possible ideas for final piece taking inspiration from all work completed so	Duration: 12 lessons	Duration: 12 lessons		
	To use the work of other	far. Choose one				



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artists and designers to	composition and refine it		
inspire ideas.	to use as the basis for your		
_	final piece.		
Duration: 12 lessons			
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